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ACLS — advanced cardiac life support

AIDS — acquired immunodeficiency syndrome
APRV — airway pressure-release ventilation

ARDS — adult respiratory distress syndrome
ASRA — also see related article

ASRL — also see related letter
Auto-PEEP — intrinsic, or unintentional, PEEP
BPD — bronchopulmonary dysplasia

°C — degrees Celsius
CF — cystic fibrosis
CO — carbon monoxide

COPD — chronic obstructive pulmonary disease
CPAP — continuous positive airway pressure

CPT — chest physiotherapy

CRCE — continuing respiratory care education

DPI — dry powder inhaler

ECMO - extracorporeal membrane oxygenation

ET - endotracheal

f — respiratory rate or breathing frequency
FRC — functional residual capacity
HFOV — high-frequency oscillatory ventilation

HFV — high-frequency ventilation HIV — human immunodeficiency virus HMD — hyaline membrane disease

ICU — intensive care unit

IPPB — intermittent positive-pressure breathing

I.V. — intravenous

MDI — metered dose inhaler

MMV — mandatory minute volume

MRI — magnetic resonance imaging

MV — mechanical ventilation

NICU — neonatal intensive care unit
PCIRV — pressure-controlled inverse-ratio

ventilation

P_{CO₂} — partial pressure of carbon dioxide
PCP — Pneumocystis carinii pneumonia
PEEP — positive end-expiratory pressure

PEP — positive expiratory pressure
PetCO₂ — end-tidal carbon dioxide pressure

PFT — pulmonary function test
PIP — peak inspiratory pressure

 $\begin{array}{lll} P_{tcCO_2} & - & transcutaneous carbon dioxide tension \\ P_{tcO_2} & - & transcutaneous partial pressure of oxygen \end{array}$

PO2 — partial pressure of oxygen PSV — pressure-support ventilation

RC - respiratory care
RCP - respiratory care practitioner

RDS — respiratory distress syndrome SIMV — synchronized intermittent mandatory

ventilation
SOB — short of breath/shortness of breath
SVN — small volume nebulizer

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